

Congressional Table 4
24-Month Median Receipts of Senate and House Candidates (1998-2012)

Senate	2012	2010	2008	2006	2004	2002	2000	1998
Democrats								
Incumbents	\$10,899,082	\$12,762,491	\$6,789,275	\$8,238,616	\$5,700,431	\$5,952,532	\$2,730,680	\$4,032,591
Challengers	\$44,907	\$44,218	\$169,649	\$251,428	\$118,226	\$116,001	\$375,681	\$55,295
Open Seats	\$154,557	\$317,363	\$1,122,818	\$915,975	\$412,421	\$434,623	\$891,237	\$1,748,256
Republicans								
Incumbents	\$8,969,539	\$5,762,828	\$6,017,127	\$5,305,606	\$5,389,328	\$3,321,356	\$3,762,231	\$3,424,232
Challengers	\$184,066	\$90,926	\$83,486	\$220,984	\$173,806	\$652,776	\$139,296	\$84,020
Open Seats	\$346,399	\$155,477	\$248,556	\$2,141,889	\$2,277,618	\$45,852	\$1,357,808	\$442,332
Other								
Incumbents	\$6,274,553	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Challengers	\$9,370	\$8,278	\$17,301	\$11,514	\$14,275	\$14,504	\$13,693	\$7,899
Open Seats	\$19,803	\$21,876	\$44,718	\$13,652	\$13,324	\$1,991	\$16,565	\$551
House								
Democrats	\$1,150,156	\$1,400,730	\$1,190,517	\$917,832	\$812,179	\$742,242	\$671,553	\$552,376
Incumbents	\$70,300	\$48,353	\$68,450	\$60,267	\$39,497	\$45,175	\$75,190	\$51,093
Challengers	\$142,947	\$146,686	\$224,618	\$252,808	\$203,691	\$160,230	\$113,750	\$241,298
Open Seats								
Republicans								
Incumbents	\$1,470,455	\$1,141,732	\$1,239,751	\$1,215,958	\$1,002,862	\$798,220	\$772,620	\$656,985
Challengers	\$59,753	\$64,294	\$56,448	\$46,275	\$55,000	\$47,438	\$39,641	\$44,481
Open Seats	\$158,331	\$127,285	\$213,262	\$276,612	\$152,630	\$216,481	\$256,727	\$144,847
Other								
Incumbents	\$407,300	\$87,303	\$0	\$0	\$836,312	\$370,402	\$656,270	\$699,659
Challengers	\$8,950	\$8,903	\$8,124	\$12,800	\$8,396	\$9,416	\$9,872	\$7,985
Open Seats	\$11,753	\$8,421	\$24,671	\$18,298	\$7,208	\$12,415	\$10,794	\$10,254

Note: includes only candidates who reported raising some money by December 31, 2012

**Number of Senate and House Challengers Who
Reported Receipts of at least \$100,000
(Through 12/31)**

Senate	2012	2010	2008	2006	2004	2002	2000	1998
Democrats	11	19	36	22	14	17	31	14
Republicans	45	42	18	29	23	26	20	22
Other	2	1	1	1	3	1	3	1
Total Challengers	58	62	55	52	40	44	54	37
House								
Democrats	195	93	141	146	90	73	104	80
Republicans	187	325	116	67	103	76	80	87
Other	9	6	5	6	2	3	3	4
Total Challengers	391	424	262	219	195	152	187	171

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